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**CITY COUNCIL APPROVES APPOINTMENTS TO CITY OF CHICAGO  
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS**

The City Council today approved appointments made by Mayor Rahm Emanuel to the Chicago Housing Authority, Chicago Community Development Commission, Public Building Commission, Chicago Development Fund Advisory Board, Commuter Rail Board (METRA), Chicago Transit Board, and the Regional Transportation Authority Board. The following appointees represent the City of Chicago's diverse communities and astute business leaders.

"Throughout their careers, these individuals have shown a deep dedication to serving communities across Chicago," said Mayor Emanuel. "My administration is committed to providing people in every neighborhood with the highest quality and most effective services. I'm confident these appointees will help the City achieve its goals."

**Chicago Housing Authority**

- Matthew W. Brewer, Bartlit Beck Herman Palenchar & Scott LLP, Partner
- Bridget M. Reidy, Exelon Corporation, Senior Vice President and Chief Supply Officer

**Chicago Community Development Commission**

- Adela M. Cepeda, A.C. Advisory, Inc., Owner and President

**Public Building Commission**

- Jose G. Maldonado, Jr., Carpenters Local Union 54, Business Representative/Financial Secretary

**Chicago Development Fund Advisory Board**

- Craig Chico, Back of the Yards Neighborhood Council, Executive Director
- Chet T. Jackson, West Humboldt Park Family & Community Development Council, Executive Director



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- Bernita Johnson-Gabriel, Quad Communities Development Corporation, Executive Director
- Carlos A. Nelson, Greater Auburn Gresham Development Corporation, Executive Director

**Commuter Rail Board (METRA)**

- Martin J. Oberman, Attorney and former 43rd Ward Alderman

**Chicago Transit Board**

- Terry Peterson, Rush University Medical Center, Vice president of Corporate and External Affairs

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